



Ralph Carlton Pridgen

July 22, 1939 - July 1, 2021

Ralph Carlton Pridgen was born on July 22, 1939, in Thomaston, Texas. After dealing with a variety of complications from Covid-19, he went to be with his Heavenly Father on July 1, 2021, in Jacksonville, Florida. Ralph was a committed follower of Jesus Christ, a loving husband, and devoted father. His love for his family was second only to his love for his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Ralph was a 47-year member of Eisenhower Road Baptist Church in San Antonio, Texas. He served as a deacon, choir member, prayer partner and in outreach. Ralph worked for the Frito Lay Corporation for 40 years before retiring to spend more time with his family.

Ralph was preceded in death by his father, Ralph Bruce Pridgen, mother, Vera Nelson Pridgen Odom and stepfather, Tommy R. Odom; He is survived by his loving family including his wife of 57 years, Marilyn Emilienburg Pridgen, his son, Carlton Dean Pridgen and wife Traci, Daughter, Laura Pridgen Price and husband, Robert Price; seven grandchildren, Timothy Pridgen, Rachel Pridgen, Mason Ratliff, Zachary Price and wife, Jessi, Joseph Patterson and wife, Taylor, Emily Price, Ashley Patterson; two great-grandchildren, Brentley Newhouse and Maverick Patterson; brother, Ernest Gerald Pridgen and wife Deanna "Wikki", half-brother, Raymond Odom, stepbrother, Robert Odom stepsisters, Frances Odom Ferrell and husband, Archie "Jr", Ruth Ann Odom, nephew, Dwayne Ferrell and nieces, Kristen Pridgen, Suzie Ferrell McClelland, Kimberly Ehlers and Sabrina McGarity.

He is loved by many and will be missed by many more. A Celebration of Life Service was held at First Baptist Church of Middleburg, Florida on 13 July 2021. Visitation is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. at Freedom Hill Church, formally Eisenhower Road Baptist Church in San Antonio, TX on Saturday 17 July 2021, funeral services at 2:00 p.m. with graveside service at Mission Burial Park South immediately following.

Arrangements are under the care of Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, 1700 S.E. Military Drive, San Antonio, TX 78214. Family and friends may share their condolences at: www.missionparks.com 210-924-4242.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 17. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Freedom Hill Baptist Church
3950 Eisenhower Road
San Antonio, TX 78218

Funeral Service

JUL 17. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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3950 Eisenhower Road
San Antonio, TX 78218

Tribute Wall

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“ Good memories of Ralph...always there for his team st Frito Lay!
Never missed a day...loyal, great guy!

*Ed Billick
Charlotte, NC*

Ed Billick - July 25, 2021 at 09:04 AM

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“ This amazing man was like a second father to me when I was little. My dad and him both served at the same church and his daughter and I were the best of friends. If I wasn't at their house after church in Sunday then she was at mine. Ralph was the sweetest, most caring, Godly, strong man one could ever know, and he treated me like family always. He will be sorely missed, I know. But he would tell us all not to be sad but to rejoice, because he is with his Father in Heaven. The angels are singing as the Father says, "Well done, good and faithful servant. Enter now into My rest."

Kristi Riley - July 16, 2021 at 10:30 AM



“ Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of
Ralph Carlton Pridgen.



July 15, 2021 at 03:28 PM



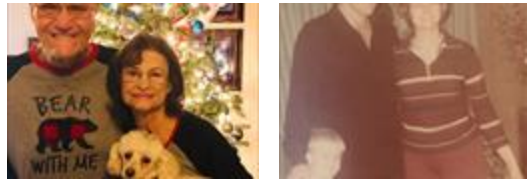
“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Ralph Carlton Pridgen.*



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